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[redacted] has returned from the hearings of the

Kersten Committee

[redacted] as the witness. [redacted] testified for a short time on the morning of the 21st, all of the afternoon, and was held over for further testimony on the morning of the 22nd. Present were Chairman Kersten and Congressmen Machrowicz, Feighan, Killings and Bentley.

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The hearings appear to have gone extremely well with the witness performing in fine fashion. He has received full press and VOA coverage which so far has been favorable. The Congressmen were extremely pleased with our cooperation in providing this witness for the Committee and with the careful preparation which went into the case. They will probably wish additional testimony in Washington.

Congressman Machrowicz informed [redacted] that he had talked to the editor of the [redacted] newspaper and pointed out that they were taking the wrong editorial approach to persons such as [redacted] receive better editorial treatment. The Congressman also taped a broadcast [redacted]

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